MY TRAINING IN ELENOIR HAD LED TO BREAKTHROUGHS THAT LEFT VIRION CONSTANTLY BAFFLED.

THE FIRST BREAKTHROUGH HAD BEEN UNLOCKING THE FIRST PHASE, ACQUIRE.

BY TAPPING INTO ONE OF SYLVIA'S INNATE SKILLS, I COULD TEMPORARILY SEPARATE MYSELF FROM TIME AND SPACE.

THIS PHASE WAS LIMITED IN A LOT OF WAYS DUE TO HOW MUCH IT STRAINED MY MANA CORE AND PHYSICAL BODY.

THE SECOND BREAKTHROUGH, HOWEVER, WAS SOMETHING I HADN'T EXPECTED.

WHAT HAD TAKEN VIRION DECADES TO ACHIEVE HAD ONLY TAKEN ME TWO AND A HALF YEARS.

THE INTEGRATE PHASE.

THE BEGINNING AFTER THE END

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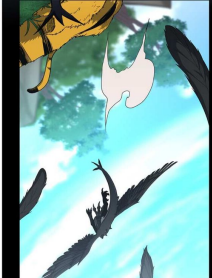


I'M COMING NOW!

IT'S FINE, SYLV.

I WANT YOU TO STAY AWAY FOR NOW.

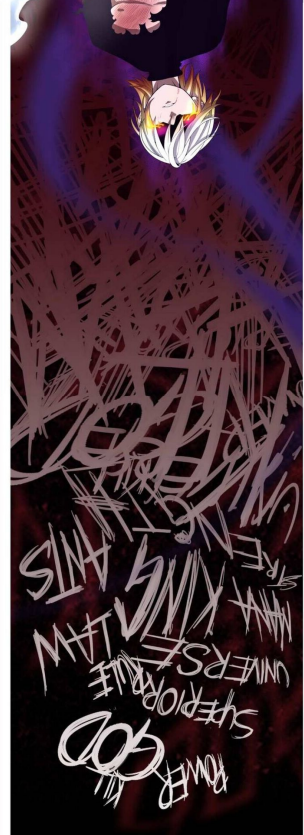
IF ANYTHING HAPPENS, GO BACK TO THE HELSTEAD'S HOUSE FOR ME.

NO!

I CAN HELP!

UGH

SYLVIE...


POWER OF GOD
SUPERIOR BEING
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MAHA KALA
ANNIHILATION

BE CAREFUL...

THUD
DUST...

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PLEASE...

LET'S PLAY

I DON'T BLAME VIRION FOR KNOCKING ME OUT WHEN I FIRST RELEASED THE INTEGRATE PHASE.

SPURT

LET'S END THIS QUICK AND HOPE I SURVIVE THE BACKLASH.

SLASH

KRRK

KRRK

KRRK

KRRK

KRRK

KRRK

DAMN,

EVEN THOUGH I CAN UTILIZE ALL OF THIS AMBIENT MANA IN THIS FORM,

MY BODY STILL CAN'T HANDLE THIS SPELL.

FWOOSH

FWOOSH

FWOOSH

COME ON!

SLAP

FWOOOM

KRASHHH

FWOOOSH

KRSK
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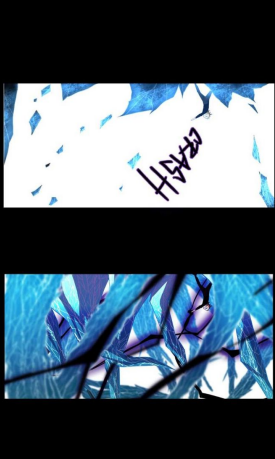
HAH

ABSOLUTE ZERO

CRASH

CRRK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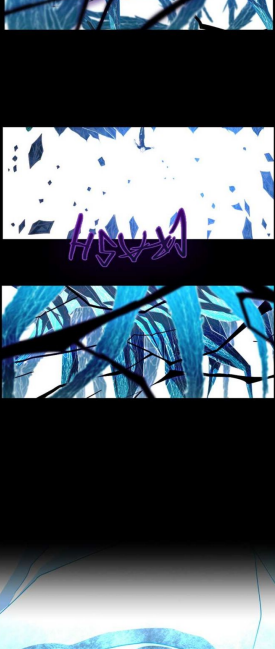
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HAA

HAAAH

HAAAH

MEANWHILE IN XYRUS CITY...

HOW IS IT THAT OUR EIGHT-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER STILL MANAGES TO PLAY SO HARD THAT SHE JUST PASSES OUT ON THE FLOOR?
TO HER DEFENSE, AFTER LILIA HAD HER AWAKENING, ELLIE HAS BEEN TRAINING REALLY HARD TO CATCH UP.
I HOPE THAT'S THE CASE.
SHE'S BEEN EERILY REMINDING ME OF HOW YOU WERE BACK IN THE DAYS.

THE RING MUST BE BROKEN...

RIGHT?